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 For: METHOD, SYSTEM, AND PROGRAM)
 FOR ERROR HANDLING IN A DUAL)
 ADAPTOR SYSTEM)
 WHERE ONE ADAPTOR IS A MASTER)



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Dear Sir:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3.

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